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SUBJECT HUMAN RIGHTS CONGRESSIONAL CORRESPONDENCE:
IMPRISONMENT OF ALBERTO M. SCHPREJER (63-77-4)

REF: STATE 145649

1. THANK YOU FOR YOUR RECENT INQUIRY REGARDING THE IMPRISONMENT OF ALBERTO M. SCHPREJER. THE EMBASSY RAISED MR. SCHPREJERS CASE WITH THE FOREIGN OFFICE WORKING GROUP ON HUMAN RIGHTS IN JANUARY AND FEBRUARY OF THIS YEAR. THAT OFFICE RECENTLY RESPONDED CONFIRMING THAT MR. SCHPREJER IS BEING DETAINED BY THE NATIONAL EXECUTIVE POWER BY DECREE NO 409, DATED FEBRUARY 2, 1976, ON THE BASIS OF ALLEGED SUBVERSIVE ACTIVITIES AND VIOLATION OF LAW 20.840 (THE ARGENTINE GENERAL ANTI-SUBVERSIVE). MR. SCHPREJER HAS FILED A RIGHT OF OPTION PETITION TO LEAVE THE COUNTRY FOR ISRAEL UNDER LAW 21.650 ON FEBRUARY 28, 1978. HIS PETITION IS STILL UNDER CONSIDERATION WITHIN THE ARGENTINE GOVERNMENT.

2. THE EMBASSY WILL CONTINUE TO MONITOR THIS CASE AND I WILL KEEP YOU INFORMED OF ANY FURTHER DEVELOPMENTS.

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3. SINCERELY YOURS, RAUL CASTRO, AMBASSADOR.
4. DECONTRO UPON RECEIPT.

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